

The Adair County News.

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COLUMBIA, ADAIR COUNTY, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1917.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce W. G. ELLIS a candidate for County Judge of Adair county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary 1917.

For Assessor

We are authorized to announce J. M. TARTER a candidate for Assessor of Adair county subject to the action of the Republican party, as expressed at the August primary.

Personals.

Mrs. J. W. Coy was quite sick last week.

Mr. M. O. Allen, Burkesville, visited here last week.

Mr. Carter N. Beecher, Indianapolis, was here last week.

Mr. L. B. Thompson, Lebanon, was here a few days ago.

Mr. W. L. Strange, of Pionia, was in town last Thursday.

Mr. J. M. Campbell, of Creelsboro, was here last Thursday.

Mrs. Caroline Jeffries has been confined to her room for a week.

Dr. C. M. Russell and wife are spending a few days in Louisville.

Miss Cary Rosenfield made a visit to Lebanon Junction last week.

Judge Rollin Hurt, of the Court of Appeals, is at home for a few days.

J. C. Sims, Lebanon, was here on a business trip the middle of last week.

Mrs. Marion Antle does not improve. She is regarded as critically ill.

Mr. A. L. Garrett returned from Waterview, Ky., Monday, where he had been to see his stepmother, who is very sick.

Mr. N. R. Waggoner, of Springfield, Ky., visited his relatives in Adair last week.

Mr. W. H. Harrison, Nashville, Tenn., made a business trip to Columbia last week.

Mr. E. L. Fesse, who is an employee at Eastern State Asylum, Lexington, visited his family last week.

Mr. Campbell Hutchinson, who has been employed for some time in Pennsylvania, is at home on a visit.

Mr. J. W. Kerr, of Campbellsville, who is in the insurance and real estate business, was here last Thursday.

Mrs. W. T. Price was able to walk up to the square Monday, which is an indication that she is rapidly improving.

Mr. B. H. Glipin, of Campbellsville, one of the popular drummers who visit our merchants made his regular trip here last week.

Mr. N. J. Wilcox, who is the father-in-law of Mr. W. R. Myers, and who has been visiting the Myers home all winter, has been quite sick about one week.

Mr. J. F. Cabbell, of Green county, was a caller on The News last Saturday. Mr. Cabbell ordered the News mailed to his son, who is in business in Jenkins, Ky.

The word from Mrs. J. O. Russell, who is very sick in Florida, is not very encouraging. She is having sinking spells, and her husband is holding out but little hope.

Mr. W. R. Lyon, of Campbellsville, was a caller on our merchants last Friday. Instead of speeding over the roads in a Ford, he was fording them on a good horse.

Mr. Hays Burton, of Morrow, Ohio, is spending a few days in this county. He was called back to the old home by the serious illness of his father—Mr. Richard Burton, of Purdy.

Mrs. Ann Lizzie Walker, mother of Allen, J. W. and John Lee Walker, was taken seriously ill last Monday week, and for a time her condition was alarming. We are glad to report that her condition has very much improved.

Mr. Albert Bryant, a prominent teacher and young business man left Monday for the Louisville market, and while in the city he will take an examination for clerical work and field service, and from there he will go to Madison, Ind., where he is interested in a manufacturing plant.

Mr. A. S. Channing, of Christian county, spent a day or so with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Channing, of this city, last week. His many friends, "one of whom I am which," were glad to meet him again. He is interested in agriculture in that highly productive section, and was wearing a beautiful smile when last seen, over the prospects for 1917.

Kentucky boasts of the largest commercial college in the South, viz., the Bowling Green Business University. It enrolls more than 1,000 students a year.

Five room cottage for rent. H. T. Baker.

FOR SALE:—A good young mare. 21-2t G. C. Garrison.

Congress is called to meet in extra session on April 2nd.

A pair of glasses were picked up in front of The News office.

Mr. L. W. Dixon is drilling a well for Mr. D. Bryant, near Craycraft.

Almost persuaded now to run, almost persuaded, but missing the fun.

Germany would like to do something for the U. S. A., but Uncle Sam declines.

I will have sufficient hats on display next Friday to interest the ladies. Call at my place.

Mrs. Lou W. Atkins.

Mrs. Geo. W. Staples will have some hats on display next Friday. She wants the ladies to call.

Prepare for war, prepare for peace and it is also advisable to prepare for life and prepare for death.

Mr. Peter T. Powell bought from Mr. Allen Walker, a span of three year old mules for \$215.00.

Next Monday will be county court. Our friends who are indebted to this office are cordially invited to call and settle.

Mr. Elbert Bailey bought a farm from his brother, Robert, last week, for \$325.00. It is situated near Craycraft.

Italy is still trying to rid the world of Austroism, but Greece, lovely Greece seem out of reach of the associated press.

The Adair county end of the pike is in a fearful condition. The Taylor county end is all right. George Gowdy keeps his end in trim.

The railroad strike was promptly declared off as soon as the announcement was made that Germany had sunk the American ships.

The English and Russians soldiers have Turkey between them and each are trying to get as many as possible—they are on the retreat.

Mr. E. B. Cheatham, of the Milltown section, sold a four months old Aberdeen calf to C. T. Browning, of that neighborhood for \$25.00.

Students from twenty-nine states, and four or five foreign countries attend the Bowling Green Business University, at Bowling Green, Ky.

Mr. J. A. Darnell, of Gadberry, was in Columbia Saturday and reported his community in good condition and full of hope for a bumper crop of corn and tobacco for this year.

Germany is retiring from her Western front, being pursued by the English and French, but indications point to a stubborn stand and possibly a decisive battle in the near future.

Thirty-three are known to be dead as a result of last Friday's cyclone, at New Albany, Ind., ten are near death and eight are missing. \$17,000 was raised Saturday for the sufferers.

The Adamson law was declared constitutional by a majority in the Supreme Court, last week. Thus ends a most knotty proposition, and in a large measure safeguards interstate commerce.

Until the first of April we will furnish McCall's magazine one year with free pattern; Farm and Home one year, Woman's World two years and The Adair County News one year all for \$1.40. Subscribe now.

The European trouble is spreading while the German army is retreating toward Berlin. China's severance of diplomatic relations, like this country's, will probably end in active participation in the war on the side of the Entente Allies.

A large crowd attended the first day of circuit court at Greensburg. There was some trading of stock on the square and the merchants did a good business. Wood Lewis has an immense establishment and his force was busy doing the day.

Mrs. Cravens, wife of Mr. L. Cravens, of the Craycraft neighborhood, died last Wednesday morning from inflammation of the bowels. She was about thirty-five years of age and while not a member of any church organization she had accepted Christ as her Savior and was ready to die. She left two small children and a husband and other close relatives to mourn their loss.

The ad of Mr. Cassius Cheatham's celebrated horse will appear in next issue of The News. The horse is now ready for service and is at the Coffey barn, this place.

We have a good well machine and are prepared to do your drilling and give satisfaction. Call on us. G. C. & J. W. Garrison. 21-2t

Mrs. S. F. Eubank has been a great sufferer with a diseased finger, the index finger on left hand. A portion of it was removed some time ago, and Monday morning the whole of it was removed by Drs. Hindman & Flowers. Much sympathy is expressed for the lady.

I keep on hand a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metallic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearses. We keep extra large caskets. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office phone 198. 45-1 yr J. F. Triptlett, Columbia, Ky.

Mrs. Lillie Smith, who is the widow of Mr. Clint Smith, who died last week, will continue to run her late husband's business, as it is believed that she will command a good trade, her brother-in-law, Mr. Wyatt Smith, will assist her, and will also conduct his shop in the same building.

Germany has sent to the bottom several American ships—the overt act has been committed. Congress will meet in extra session April 2nd and a declaration of war may be expected. In the meantime the President has not taken a backward or faltering step to protect the inalienable rights of our people.

Columbia is again lighted with electricity. The lights have not been placed in all the residences, but will be installed in a very short time. Mr. G. B. Smith, who has the contract with the city, was delayed some in getting fixtures, but he now knows that his main trouble is over, and the town is very much pleased with the beginning of the service.

On Saturday, April 14, the Adair County Board of Education will receive bids on a school house to be built in the Johnson or Gnat Hollow district No. 34. The house is to be 22 by 34 by 12 feet in size, with brick blue built from ground, and to be constructed of good sound lumber, free from decayed knot holes. The bidder is to furnish all material.

Mr. John Comest, of Craycraft, one of our energetic farmers, and an all around dependable man, was basking in the sunshine on the public square of Columbia, last Saturday, with friends and acquaintances. He stated to The News man that nearly all the wheat in that vicinity is dead but the crop of candidates was fine—good men and plenty of them.

We have mentioned the propriety of establishing a loose leaf house here several times, but the farmers have not responded. They are the ones who would secure the greatest benefit, and they are the ones who should clamor for the enterprise. Adair is a good tobacco county, and all that is grown can be sold at home, if the growers would get a move on them.

There is no better country in the world to use a flying machine in than this part of the state, and if some one will put on the market one of moderate price, flights will be numerous. Besides being a fast and pleasant way of going, their use would reduce the travel on our highways and prolong their present good condition without so much labor and money spent on them. The use of flyers would certainly bring great relief to this section.

I have purchased the Bakery in this town and will furnish the people the best of bread at the lowest price possible. Strictly cash to the retail trade, accounts only with merchants. In connection with the bakery I have opened a first-class restaurant and will give the best of service. When you need good bread or want a meal call on me. I furnish pies, cakes and desserts. Will pay cash for eggs and butter. C. M. Herriford, Columbia, Ky.

The entertainment last Friday night, under the management of the Self Culture Club, was not as largely attended as the ladies were entitled to have received. Disagreeable weather rained out the crowd, and then the electric lights were out of commission. The visiting ladies who came to assist the club, proved themselves talented, and notwithstanding it was 9 o'clock before the hall was lighted, yet all who remained were perfectly delighted.

My Millinery will be in and on sale by March 31st. Will have a nice line at bargain prices. Mrs. Millie Hill, Gradyville, Ky. 22-2t.

An unusual amount of rain has fallen in this State for the last few weeks. The streams have overflowed several times and as a result but little real preparation has been made for a corn crop. Several times just as the ground was ready and the teams hitched to the plows the rain would come and prevent work. This is not a complaint but to inform the readers of The News in the arid plains of the West that at present, Kentucky is a wet State.

Mrs. Mary J. Brockman was born November 22, 1837 and died March 21, 1917, aged 79 years, 3 months and 26 days. She was buried near the residence of Hardin Cave, her son-in-law. The funeral services were held by Eld. Tobias Huffaker, at the residence, at 3 p. m., last Thursday. A large concourse of relatives and friends were present. Mrs. Brockman had been a member of the Christian church for more than 60 years and was an excellent woman. A large circle of relatives and friends mourn her departure.

Mr. J. F. Patten sold a 6 horse power oil engine, a grist mill and crusher, a few days ago, to Mr. G. M. Tedder, of Casey Creek. Mr. Tedder will attach a sieve to his mill for the purpose of making buckwheat flour. Buckwheat is a great grain and it is growing in favor with the farmers in that section and since Mr. Tedder is in position to make the flour buckwheat cakes will soon become general. Mr. Patten also sold a 10 horse power oil engine to Mr. J. T. Hardin, of Casey Creek. This engine will furnish power for Mr. Hardin's roller mill.

Eld. Z. T. Williams, after a rest and visit in the West of nearly three months, occupied the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday. He is not as vigorous as in days gone by and for this reason he announced that he would not preach a sermon. His talk, not from a Bible text, but from love of his church and love of home, could not fall of hearty appreciation from those who have shown the Christ-like spirit to him, their pastor, and inspire a deeper, truer appreciation on the part of both. "It is pleasant for brethren to dwell together in unity."

Mr. John Young, of Bowling Green, died last Saturday, death being due to the infirmities of age. Mr. Young was a native of Cumberland county, but removed to Bowling Green several years ago where he resided until his death. He was appreciated as a good citizen and an upright man. He is survived by a brother, Mr. George A. Young, of Cumberland county, a sister, Mrs. A. G. Todd, of Columbia, a wife, two daughters and three sons.

Mr. R. K. Young, of Columbia, a nephew, was notified of his uncle's serious illness and left immediately arriving at his bedside before the end came.

We have heretofore made announcement of the fact that Dr. W. A. Ganfield, President of Center College, will preach at the Presbyterian Church in this place Sunday, April 8th, Easter day. In addition to the two sermons on Easter, Dr. Ganfield has consented to remain until Tuesday morning, and on Monday he will visit the two schools in town, and speak to the students at times to be arranged, and on Monday night he will give a public lecture, the subject of his lecture: "What makes a town worth living in." It will be a privilege and an opportunity for our people to hear Dr. Ganfield, who is recognized as a leading preacher and educator of our State.

Died.

Mrs. Zora Bault, wife of Mr. Jake Bault, died last Saturday morning at her late home near Cane Valley, death due to appendicitis. She had only been confined to her room for a few days and all that medical skill could do failed to bring relief. She was forty-two years of age, a consistent member of the Pleasant Hill Christian church and a good and lovable christian wife. Besides the husband, she is survived by two brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Gaddie Coffey, Mrs. Lizzie Blair, Mr. B. O. Hurt and Mr. H. V. Hurt. Religious services were held at the home at one o'clock Sunday and the body laid to rest in the Cane Valley cemetery in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. A good woman gone to her reward and the world only the loser. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved husband, sisters and brothers.

Mr. W. C. Van Hoy, who lives in the Cane Valley section, met with a very serious accident, in this place last Saturday afternoon. He had been transacting some business in town, and started home horseback. At Kelsey's store he met a big truck coming up the pike. His horse became frightened and Mr. Van Hoy was thrown violently to the ground, breaking his collar bone and otherwise bruising his body. He was carried to his home in an auto. It is hoped he will soon recover. Mr. Thomas Murrell, who was with Mr. Van Hoy, became sick and fainted, but he was revived in a few minutes and was apparently not worsted from the sudden collapse. Dr. Cartwright attended them.

The Columbia Baptist Sunday school, last Sunday, was unusually interesting made so by special preparation. It was Mission day and \$32.50 had been asked as a reasonable contribution, but when the classes reported, the Men's Bible class had given one-half of that amount and the Ladies class but a few cents less. Pride and love for Missions prompted them to supplement and in a few minutes their class was the leading contributor. Total amount given for missions was even \$50.00. The music and recitations by the little girls and boys were highly entertaining and inspiring—evidence of good tutoring, pointing to broader and more useful lives when they shall become the men and women of tomorrow to carry forward the great movement of evangelization.

Last week, Mr. John A. Harris resigned as teacher of the Business course of the Murray county High School, Columbia, Tenn., and accepted a position of Bookkeeper for a large Lumber manufacturing plant in Florida. He is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Harris, for a few days, but will report for duty in his new line of work April 1st. He had been in the Murray county High School for nearly four years, had made good in his work and he, as well as the managing board of the school, regretted to sever their relations, but inducement in salary and opportunity for promotion and business development were the paramount reasons. Set salaries for scanty living regardless of adaptability and real earning capacity for teachers in our schools, are driving many into other lines of work that offer better reward for duty well done.

In the regular column of this paper appears the announcement of Mr. W. G. Ellis, of Pellyton, for the Democratic nomination for county Judge in the August primary. Four years ago Mr. Ellis was elected magistrate for his district, and has proven himself a safe and conservative official. He is a man well qualified to fill the position he seeks, and believes in an honest, active effort to advance the public interest and the proper care of our resources. His work as magistrate is proof of this position: By occupation he is an active farmer and business man. Politically he is a Democrat, true to his party, yet not offensive with those who believe otherwise. He promises that if given the nomination, to use all honorable means to win in the final contest, and if elected to give his whole time and talents to the discharge of the duties of the office without any partisan bias—the rich and the poor, the fortunate and unfortunate to receive a square, open deal from him. He will see as many of the voters as he can before the primary, but takes this method of asking his friends to enlist in his ambition.

For Sale.

One genuine Gas or Kerosene Engine, 8 H. P., and guaranteed for 5 years. Also one genuine French Burr Grist mill, 16 inch burrs. C. M. Brown, Creelsboro, Ky. 21-3t.

A National School.

The Bowling Green Business University, at Bowling Green, Ky., has received the endorsement of a second appointment as the National Official Training School. This is the only school in the United States that has that honor.

Johnny Bob Shirley Dead.

Last Sunday night Mr. Johnny Bob Shirley passed away at his home in the Milltown section. He was a fine citizen, and was about sixty-eight years old. He was an ardent member of the Baptist Church, never failing to attend services. He will not only be missed by his family, but by the entire neighborhood. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. O. P. Buse in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends.

DISTRESSING DEATH.

Mr. Clint Smith Drops Dead While Eating Supper in The Presence of His Family.

THE FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED.

Last Tuesday night at 6:30 o'clock Mr. Clint Smith, who was one of the best known men in the county, died suddenly at his home in this place, while eating his supper. He was the oldest son of Mr. Ethan Smith and Mrs. Margaret Smith, and was forty-six years of age on his last birthday.

For the last five or six years he was engaged in conducting a boarding house and family grocery, and had built up a splendid trade. He had a good word for every person he met, his genial disposition making him extremely popular.

He leaves a wife and three children, to whom he was lovingly devoted, and no family of children was ever more wedded to a father. His wife was his helpmate, and the two were happy in each other's love. Also three sisters and one brother survive.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, the building being filled to its capacity. The religious services were conducted by Rev. O. P. Bush, the pastor of the deceased.

At the close of the services at the church, the Odd-Fellows and Modern Woodmen took charge of the remains, conducting it to the cemetery, and there deposited it with the beautiful formalities of Odd-Fellowship.

The floral offerings were beautiful, presented by the two orders.

Mr. Smith's death was the first in either order here, the organizations having been put to work about seven years ago.

Death of a Good Woman.

Last Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, Mrs. Mary E. the wife of J. J. Craddock, died at her home near Gresham, in Green county. She was 70 years old last Nov. 19, and had been a devoted member of the Ebenezer Presbyterian church from girlhood. She was a victim of cancer and had been operated upon twice, and had all the attention that loving husband, son, nieces, friends and neighbors could give.

She is survived by her husband, one son, S. H. Craddock, one sister, Mrs. B. F. Channing, of Columbia, and one brother, A. A. Cowherd, of Co-burg, this county, besides a number of nephews and nieces. She was buried in the cemetery at Bethlehem church, Friday, in the presence of many sorrowing relatives and friends. She will not only be missed by a loving husband and son, who were devoted to wife and mother, but by the whole church and neighborhood. May the Lord comfort those so sorely bereaved.

Candidate for Assessor.

In the proper column of this paper will be seen the announcement of Mr. J. M. Tarter for the Republican nomination for Assessor of Adair county, subject to the action of his party in the August primary. Mr. Tarter is a citizen of the Little Lake precinct, and a substantial, industrious man. While not intimately acquainted, yet we are warranted in stating that he is not only deserving of recognition from his party, but would make an honest official if nominated and elected. We are informed that he will poll a heavy vote in his precinct, which is evidence unmistakable that he is held in high esteem and considered competent by those who know him best. He is a Republican who has shared in the joy of Republican triumphs and felt the sting of defeats for his party—doing his best on all occasions in party conflicts. He now asks, for the first time, an opportunity to meet the common enemy as a directly interested party, promising to do his best to win and to discharge the duties of the office honestly and efficiently if elected.

He asks his friends to help him secure the nomination, and will personally present his candidacy to as many Republicans as he can before the primary. Read his announcement and give him just consideration.

For Sale.

I have a first-class, 6 year old Jack for sale or trade or will farm him to right party. He is a fine breeder and is easy to control. I also have a nice 2 year old Jersey heifer with a heifer calf at side 3 weeks old that I will sell. Both pure bred. 22-2t Gus Jeffries.

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We are authorized to announce the following Candidates subject to the action of their respective parties:

For County Judge.

Republican WALTER S. SINCLAIR.
Democrat KINT MONTGOMERY.
Republican E. L. SINCLAIR.

For Sheriff.

Republican: W. B. PATTESON.
Democrat: CORTEZ SANDERS.
Democrat: CLYDE CRENSHAW.
R. M. HURT

For County Court Clerk.

Republican T. A. FURKIN.
" JOHN N. SQUIRES.
" L. Y. GABBERT.
" S. C. NEAT.
Democrat ALBERT MILLER.
W. H. GILL.

For School Superintendent.

Republican GEORGE AARON.
Democrat TOBIAS HUFFAKER.
Democrat NOAH LOY.

For Jailer

Republican JOHN THURMAN.
" JOHN L. DARNELL.
" FRANK WOLFORD MILLER.
" J. C. WOODEN.
" A. W. TARTER.
Democrat C. G. JEFFRIES.
" A. H. FESE.
" JOHN B. CHRISTIE.

For Assessor

Democrat F. P. DUNBAR.
Republican R. H. HARMON.
" EVERETT ALLISON.
" G. L. FERRYMAN.
" J. M. TARTER

For Representative

Republican JOE HUDDLESTON.
" DR. W. S. TAYLOR.

The Failure of Absolutism.

In Russia the people are loyal, industrious, self-denying, long-suffering, slow to wrath, but with a fervid patriotism that is a religion. It is Absolutism that has failed.

In Germany Absolutism, boastful and vainglorious, has failed. It is not foreign aggression, it is dynastic ambition, it is ruthless militarism, it is barbaric tyranny that has brought the nation to the verge of starvation, and wasted the inheritance of forty years of peace.

Freedom alone is strong, unconquerable, enduring.

England surrenders her most cherished liberties that she may put to flight the armies of the aliens. She has been deluded by the boasted efficiency of an Absolute government. For the maintenance of her armies she endures another Long Parliament; she manacles the press; she gives up government by discussion; she supplants Parliamentary government by a dictatorship, with a Council of Seven as a substitute for the Cabinet.

This may endure for the night, but liberty will come with the morning.

It was the Czar of Russia, who after the Congress of Vienna one hundred years ago, framed the Holy Alliance; the coalition of all the Absolute monarchs of Europe, to suppress all popular uprisings and destroy popular institutions.

It has succeeded only in Germany. Italy is united and self-governed. Spain and Portugal

and Greece have constitutional monarchies. France is an enduring and glorious Republic, and, protected by the Monroe Doctrine, all America is free from entangling relations with Europe.

Germany begins to hear the voice of freedom echoing from the graves of the Revolutionists of 1848. Glory is no substitute for liberty, and a benevolent despotism, with fixed wages and old age pensions and sick insurance, and vocational, pre-vocational and even pre-natal training—is no compensation for freedom overthrown.

No people fit for freedom will surrender their liberties that they may be comfortable.

Let America keep her Democratic institutions, civil and military. Let her drink deep of the fountains of independence, from which flow the waters of life. War is shaking European nations to their foundations. Europe, groaning under the burden of universal military training and universal service, is preparing to destroy her oppressors, and to reject the boasted efficiency of her drillmasters.

Let America see to it that the war which destroys military dominion in Europe does not fasten it on America.—Louisville Post.

From North Carolina.

Lattimore, Mar. 17, 1917.
Editor News:—

As I have repaired my typewriter, I hope you can decipher the subject matter this time, proclaiming W. J. Bryan the greatest man of this age, and decidedly the ablest figure on this continent. He is the Warwick of politics in this Nation,—and made Woodrow Wilson President, and then re-elected him. As to present critical situation, no true American could afford to waver in allegiance to the United States; but I insist that we have discriminated in favor of "Hengland" and against Germany. Should war result, you will find Bryan on the firing-line,—where he was in Spanish American struggle; and Theodore, with the Moloch voice and the tombstone teeth, in the Fiji Islands. In every war that laid its blighting touch on this land,—the spell-binders that shrieked for conquest has devoted his attention to shoddy contracts, and hissed men to the front who dreaded and deplored the harvest of destruction entailed by war. Gen. Grant, Gen. Sheridan and Gen. Sherman, of Union army, were not foaming at the mouth for battle; nor were Generals Lee and Stonewall Jackson. There is a considerable difference in fighting to repel the ruthless invader, and rushing into the gory fray to protect interests of Wall Street.

I am proud that my great grand father helped humble the British lion in the Revolution, and that my grandfathers, White and Bradshaw, fought for "Free trade and sailors' rights in 1812. Why is it that we act on English news in this crisis? Everything is "by way of Liverpool." Is rifling our mails, making cotton contraband of war no humiliation from "Hengland?" Have we any special business in the zone, more than Germany seems willing to grant? Germany offered to make peace, and who refused? Now, if Germany will

let us alone; why not let her and England fight it out? On the other hand, if Germany has fired on our flag, or makes alliance with Japan and Mexico; we'll be there with the last man and the last dollar. "America, hoping she will always be right; but America, always, whether right or wrong."

I see that you have a merry and numerous array of candidates. May the best man win, but Cherry Mountain is going to line up solidly for Tob Hurt for Sheriff. Cherry Mountain, N. C., is the abiding place of the sovereign voter, and we vote early and often. When Jim Garnett announced himself for Attorney General, the woolly-necked elector came from his lair, and voted for Jim Garnett, W. J. Bryan and Andrew Jackson. The untutored voter from Cherry Mountain, the theme of song and story, is unlettered; but farms, votes, plants in the moon; and regards the ground hog as a soothsayer and a profit, as did his bold and hardy progenitors. Such being the case, they have no state nor county-line limitations; but will support Tobe Hurt, of Adair county, Kentucky, with as much reverence as they cast a ballot for Andrew Jackson. They don't believe that Jackson is dead, but expect him to visit this region with all the sweet, confiding faith that a Jew expects the advent of the Messiah and the glory of His Kingdom in the Holy Land.

Allow me to say, that my school took high rank in preliminary contest for speaker and reciter, at Shelby, N. C., for County Commencement day, April 7, 1817. Two received second honors, as many, honorable mention, and that is good for one school. Hoping that war may be averted, that the dove of peace will find rest for her feet in war-torn Europe, I close with a benediction for all old friends in Kentucky, Missouri, Illinois, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Melvin White.

How Can You Improve Your Live Stock This Year.

Would you like for your live stock to be better of quality, more serviceable, more valuable the first of 1918 than they were the first of 1917?

Of course you would. Well, you can have them better—that is if you raise any of them yourself. You may not be able to have everyone of them better, but the general average can be raised. You can have next year some animals of higher quality than any you now have.

How can you do it? Just this way: Be sure that every female is bred to a male of better quality than herself. Breed your grade and scrub females to pure-bred sires. If you have pure-bred females, breed them to sires that are not only pure-breds of unusual quality.

The only man who cannot follow this advice is the man who already has top-notch females; and, unfortunately, most farmers have not this kind.—Southern Agriculturist.

In the Prussian Diet the submarine warfare has been violently assailed. Somebody will now try to knock that out of Diet.

Rank Foolishness.

You occasionally see it stated that colds do not result from cold weather. That is rank foolishness. Were it true colds would be as prevalent in midsummer as in midwinter. The microbe that causes colds flourishes in damp, cold weather. To get rid of a cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effectual and is highly recommended by people who have used it for many years as occasion required, and know its real value. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co. Adv.

Clear Away the Waste.

Bowel regularity is the secret of good health, bright eyes, clear complexions, and Dr. King's New Life Pills are a mild and gentle laxative that regulates the bowels and relieves the congested intestines by removing the accumulated waste without griping. Take a pill before retiring and that heavy head, that dull spring fever feeling disappears. Get Dr. King's New Life Pills at Paul Drug Co., 25c. Adv.

For Your Child's Cough.

Here's a pleasant cough syrup that every child likes to take, Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. If your child has a deep hacking cough that worries you give him Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, the soothing pine balsam relieves the cough, loosens the phlegm and heals the irritated tissues. Get a bottle today at Paul Drug Co., and start treatment at once. 25c. Adv.

Speed Up Recruiting.

Washington, March 22.—The navy is short 13,514 men of its present authorized enlisted strength of 74,500, and efforts to speed up recruiting are being redoubled. The present month has seen the largest recruitment on record, with a net increase of 1,947. Since Congress authorized the 74,500 total in September 5,454 men have been added to the navy's personnel. It was stated at the department today that the authorized strength is sufficient to put all ships immediately available in commission, and no effort will be spared in bringing the force to that figure.

To induce recruiting Congress provided that one hundred enlisted men a year should be selected by examination for appointment to the Naval Academy. Navy officials say that a very high type of officer material is being secured in this fashion. The way to commissions in the marine corps and to responsible and well-paid positions as warrant or petty officers is also being opened as fully as possible to boys who enlist.

A recruit need serve only one year in the navy to be eligible for examination for appointment to Annapolis, and every possible opportunity for study and instruction to enable him to pass the examination is furnished aboard the ships or at the training stations.—Evening Post.

Mothers have a beautiful way of forgetting the bad and remembering the good in their own children. The truest mother is the one who extends this feeling to the children of others.—Southern Agriculturist.

The garden, the orchard, the potato patches—these, with a flock of hens and two good cows, will almost insure you a good living this year.—Southern Agriculturist.

There are some poultry houses which can be smelled a mile. The hens that stay in them seldom lay eggs.—Southern Agriculturist.

A Zeppelin, operating in the vicinity of Paris, was shot down by French anti-aircraft guns at a distance of two miles.

A split has occurred between Carranza and Obregon, and the latter is said to be inciting a revolution against the Government.

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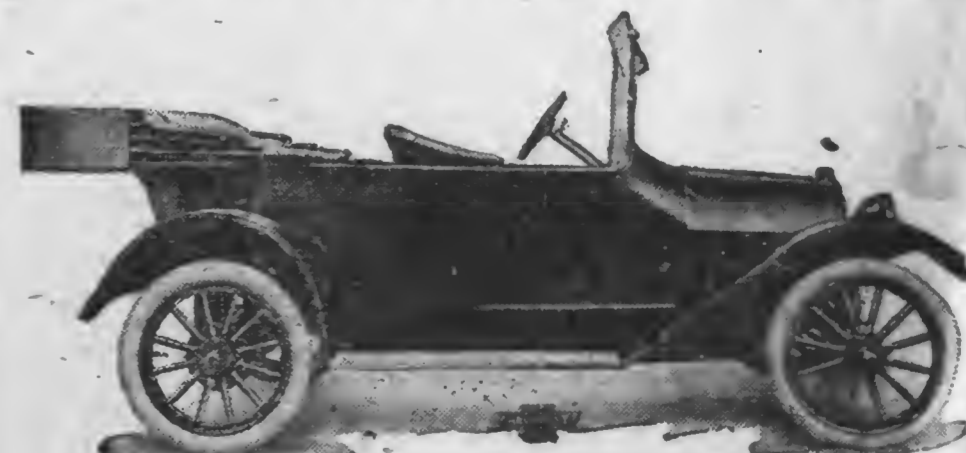
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Call of the President for an Extra Session.

Washington, March 21.—The following is the President's proclamation calling Congress into extra sessions, April 2:

"Whereas, public interests require that the Congress of the United States should be convened in extra session at 12 o'clock noon, on the second day of April, 1917, to receive a communication by the executive on grave questions of national policy.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the Congress of the United States to convene in extra session at the Capitol in the city of Washington, on the second day of April, 1917, at 12 o'clock, noon, of which all persons who shall at that time be entitled to act as members thereof are hereby required to take notice.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the 21st day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen; and of the independence of the United States, the 41st."

Reaching the Limit.

The United States has just about reached the limit of endurance.

It must assert its international rights or confess itself a craven who is unworthy of any rights.

The "overt act" has occurred, and at this writing there seems no possible means of avoiding war if we would remain a nation of self respecting people.

But one fact should prevail above all others. If we are forced into war we should go in as a united people, with a grim determination to leave no act undone that will compel respect for our flag and citizenship.

We abhor war, but even an honorable warfare is preferable to a dishonorable peace.

The time for protesting has passed. The hour for determined and overwhelming action is at hand.

When diplomacy fails the sword must take its place.

The Stars and Stripes forever—LaFollette, Stone and other traitors notwithstanding!—Oldham New Area.

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Unusual work, bending and lifting or strenuous exercise is a strain on the muscles, they become sore and stiff, you are crippled and in pain. Sloan's Liniment brings you quick relief, easy to apply, it penetrates without rubbing and drives out the soreness. A clear liquid, cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments, it does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Also have a bottle handy for the pains aches of rheumatism, gout, lumbago, grippe, bruises, stiffness, backache and all external pain. At Pauli Drug Co., 25c.

Organize Your Farm Loan Association Now

The Federal Farm Loan Board announces that the blank form of articles of association to be used in forming national loan association has been printed and is now ready for distribution.

If interested persons will address a letter to the Federal Farm Loan Board, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., these articles of association will be sent. When they reach you, call a meeting of the prospective members of your association, adopt these articles and have each member sign them and acknowledge them. Fill in the space at the top the name your association adopts.

Then, at your first meeting, elect a board of five or more directors and have the directors meet and elect a president, a vice president, a secretary-treasurer and a loan committee of three members. The loan committee may begin at once to value the lands of the members and prepare its written report of these valuations, which must be unanimous.

Do not send the signed articles of association to Washington, but hold them until the federal land bank of your district is located. Then write to the bank, asking for forms which include

an application for a charter. When these come, fill them out and send them, together with the articles of association and the report of the loan committee to your federal land bank.

Ten thousand of these forms have already been sent to farmers asking for them.—Southern Agricultural.

Don't Be Envious.

Crush all envy out of your heart. The envious person is in pain upon all occasions which ought to give him pleasure. The relish of his life is lost, and the objects which administer the highest satisfaction to those who are exempt from this passion give the quickest pangs to persons who are subject to it. All the perfections of their fellow creatures are odious. Don't be envious.

The news of a railroad strike in this country would be hailed with more delight in Germany than is the news of the sinking of many ships.

While visiting in New York a lady asked the little son of her friend:

"Johnny, do you like going to school?"

"Yes, ma'am," answered the truthful urchin; "and I like coming home, too; but I don't like staying there between."

Roy

The health of this vicinity is very good at this writing.

Hogs continue dying in this section Mr. B. O. Hurt informed us sometime ago he had lost 25 head.

Mrs. U. L. Antle has been very sick for several days.

Mr. Omry Webb who went to Iowa, several days ago has made his return.

Mrs. Mettie McElroy started for Cartersburg Ind., March the 13.

The roads in this part of the county are very bad at this writing.

The Singing at White Oak last Sunday was well attended.

There has been scarcely any plowing done in this part of the county owing to the bad weather.

Mr. W. C. Combest of Russell Springs passed through here en route for Campbellsville where he has accepted a position with L. E. McKinley.

Mr. G. R. Redmon changed a horse for a mule with Mr. F. P. Bryant recently.

Aunt Cytha Conover is very low at this writing and not expected to live long.

Mr. Ben Conover has been quite sick for the past few days.

Miss Alice Conover visited her sister Mrs. J. F. Montgomery at Ozark a few days ago.

War and high prices is the general talk of the day.

Several nice droves of hogs and cattle passed through here recently from Russell and adjoining counties.

Miss Elmer Royse was visiting her aunt Mrs. Curt Leach a few days ago.

When Germany Awakens.

The period in which England is to be "beaten to her knees" by the submarine blockade has been lengthened from three months to six by the German Bureau which is preparing matter for the German press for the encouragement of the German people.

There are many indications that the German campaign of "ruthlessness" was held back as long as the German government dared. It was fear of something like what has just happened in Russia that forced action. The German people had to be told that "victory was in sight." Therefore, a changed policy of submarine warfare was announced, and with it came the statement that the people of Great Britain would be starving in three months.

The Berlin War Office now admits that the three months estimate was hasty. It is now stated that Great Britain has food supplies for two months on hand and that it will take at least six months to cause the pinch to be felt. In the meantime the German people are being grossly deceived as to the damage the German submarines are doing.

Sooner or later the German people will understand how they have been lied to, hoodwinked, juggled with on every hand by their own government. What will then happen none can say, but the events at Petrograd are full of promise.—Louisville Post.

Good Breeding.

It shows good breeding to accept without grumbling or growling what falls to one in the ordinary course of events. There are people who easily and noisily find fault with everything that doesn't go their way. The slightest interruption disturbs them and makes them mad. They act as if the world was made for them and as if their disappointment was a great chasm in the logic of events. This is not a show of good breeding. A person whose nature is noble will accept the little misfits in life as somewhat to be expected and bear them with a brave and unselfish spirit. We have seen men who meet their little disappointments with a poise that is beautiful. They are the real heroes of life. Their disappointment makes them grand, for in their discomfiture their spirit is as gentle as a summer sunset. But with some others it is not so. They rage at a little mishap. They denounce everything and everybody in their disappointment. They are simply ill bred. It is not so with a gentleman or lady. They accept a reverse as a matter of course and make a virtue out of a disappointment.—Columbus, O., State Journal.

Labor Above Law.

Sympathize as we must with all the worthy aspirations of labor, organized and unorganized, the attitude of the trainmen at this time must repel even their most indulgent friends. The strike which they threaten involves more than commercial paralysis and internal disorder to a nation under the menace of war, and more than physical and financial hardship to millions. It amounts to a peremptory notice that labor is superior to law. If the railroads had not taken the Eight-Hour Act to court, this menace would not have presented itself. It

follows, then, that by resorting to violence in advance of a judicial decision the brotherhoods would deny to the railroads the due process of law which the Constitution of the United States guarantees to its humblest citizen.

It must be difficult for sober-minded men in the labor movement to subscribe to the doctrine that in a controversy with the strike-masters neither the employers nor the people have rights entitled to respect. Outside of extreme labor circles such a contention will be repudiated almost unanimously, and yet the trainmen do not hesitate to appeal to the public for countenance and support.

The idea that these groups of trainmen are superior to State and Nation and above the law and the judiciary, except when they want to use them, cannot prevail. In addition to giving aid and comfort to a probable enemy, a strike such as that now promised amounts to a proclamation by organized labor that its decrees are final and that other interests are not entitled to so much as a day in court.—New York World.

Indecision.

If indecision runs in your blood, arouse yourself and strangle this insidious foe to your achievement before it saps your energy and ruins your life chance. Do not wait until tomorrow, but begin to-day. Compel yourself to develop the opposite quality by the constant practice of firm decision. Analyze thoroughly every affair before deciding. Then when your decision is made let it be final.

Several important towns, including Peronne, and sixty villages were taken by the British forces Sunday as they continued their pursuit of the retreating Germans on the western front. They penetrated the German positions to a depth of ten miles at some points, while gains were made over a front forty-five miles long.

Trainmen or Propaganda?

In the theory advanced by W. G. Lee, Chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, prevails among his associates, all efforts to prevent a calamitous strike on the transportation lines must necessarily fail. He finds that the country is on the eve of war; that, war once declared, no strike will be admissible, and that the trainmen's one hope of coercing employers and public, rests upon arbitrary action now.

Something has been said of late as to the gross impropriety of an assault by organized labor upon the Supreme Court, which has its case under consideration and whose judgment it is attempting either to intimidate or to anticipate. This view of the brotherhoods' activities presents many sinister features, but infinitely worse in every aspect is their avowed purpose to seize upon a grave national emergency as a prime opportunity to press by violence of threats of violence, claims as to wages and hours which are still in process of adjudication.

In all its long career, subject as it has been to many blundering leaderships, organized labor never before appeared in a character so sordid as this. What do its protestations of loyalty in the presence of war amount to if it uses the imminence of war as an excuse to throttle government and people?

The German propaganda has spent millions of dollars in this country in schemes to disrupt and terrorize American industry, commerce and political action which appear trivial in comparison with the iniquity now boldly proclaimed by the best-paid working men in the world who boast of their patriotism.—New York World.

In his return speech at New York, Ambassador Gerard declared that there are more licensed chauffeurs in New York and New Jersey than there were men in the United States standing army, and he further said that frequently the Germans had taken prisoner in a single afternoon as many men as are in our army.

Secretary Daniels had a meeting with newspaper men to begin the preparation of regulations to guide them in the suppression of news that might be of value to enemies of this country.

According to a statement given out at Havre, deported Belgian railroad employees are in real distress. Food packages addressed to them are withheld by the Germans, the report says.

Berlin claims that 358 merchant ships with a gross tonnage of 781,000 were lost as a result of unrestricted naval warfare in February. Of this number seventy-one were neutral vessels and totaled 137,500 tons.

Reports from Russia indicate that Prince George E. Lyoff, Premier of the new Russian Cabinet, may be President of the Republic of Russia when the new government is formed.

The French Cabinet, headed by Premier Briand, has resigned.

Moonlight School Teacher in Washington.

R. E. Jagers, a rural school teacher of Hart County, tells of his trip to Washington in an interesting manner.

"I left Bowling Green, where I am enrolled as a student of the Western Kentucky State Normal, on Sunday, February 25. At Frankfort, the State Capital, I was met by a delegation, headed by Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, president, and the Hon. V. O. Gilbert, secretary-treasurer of the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission. This delegation greeted me and bade me 'God-speed' on my trip.

"My stay in Washington extended over one week, which was occupied in meeting the notables there and in seeing the wonderful sights of the most wonderful Capital in the world. I saw Congress in session and saw it die in the throes of the most noted filibuster in history. I saw the Supreme Court, Mount Vernon, the home of Washington, the Smithsonian Institute, the Corcoran Art Gallery, and finally sat in the grandstand and saw the inauguration of President Wilson for the second term.

"The moonlight schools, I found, were the pride of Kentucky's statesmen at Washington. Many other leaders in Congress are champions of the cause which Kentucky is leading.

"President Wilson was never busier during his life, and could not see many of the visitors then thronging the Capital, but he stopped amid the perplexities of the international crisis, and the stress of the closing days of Congress, to greet a moonlight school teacher. He has kept up with the progress of the work, and he said with great earnestness:

"The work of the moonlight schools is a wonderful work." The President read with deep interest the letter which I presented to him from a young man, aged 21, who had learned to read and write within three weeks' time. He was much impressed with both the spirit and legibility of the letter.

"Champ Clark, Speaker of the House of Representatives, simply bubbled over with enthusiasm on the subject of moonlight schools. It is one of his favorite themes, and he has made speeches on the subject from New York to California. He had made one in Washington a few evenings previous to my visit there. I was escorted to his office by the Honorable John W. Langley, and the Speaker sat down and talked to me as familiarly as if I had been a Congressman. "The moonlight school work is the most wonderful work going on in the world, I believe he said, and said it with a Champ Clark vim that left no doubt of his sincerity.

"Senator Ollie M. James is proud of the fact that moonlight schools originated in Kentucky. Senator James has a bill pending in Congress which is designed to wipe illiteracy out of the United States, and to do it after the Kentucky plan. The bill is popular and will pass, and it will give Kentucky another page in the country's history. Senator James believes in keeping Kentucky in the lead.

"Congressman Hughes, the veteran chairman of the Education Committee in the House of Representatives, met me with extreme cordiality. He has been

an advocate of moonlight schools for several years, and through his and other influences has started a state-wide campaign against illiteracy in his native state of Georgia.

"One of the best informed men in Washington on moonlight schools is Congressman Towner, of Iowa. He wrote a flattering report on the movement three years ago, and commended the plan to other States. His is the State that stands at the top of the scale of literacy, but he would like to see the other States move up the scale.

"Every one of Kentucky's Senators and Representatives is an ardent supporter of the moonlight schools. They have all given prizes in their districts and in the State at large, and have traveled at their own expense and made speeches for the cause, and they feel that it is every Kentuckian's duty to help.

"W. J. Fields, of the Ninth district, feels especial pride in the fact that the moonlight school originated in his district. He says that the demand upon him for literature from Rowan county exactly doubled after the operation of the moonlight schools there. He has charge of the same bill in the House that Senator James is fathering in the Senate.

"The newspapers made much comment on the work while I was in Washington, all of it being favorable. I was interviewed, entertained and escorted and accorded every possible courtesy by the nation's leaders and the press.

"Finally, I was invited to stop in Lexington on my return as the guest of the Southern School Journal, the State educational organ. Here, with the genial editor, R. S. Eubank and Miss Hattie Dalton, I spent the last day of the most wonderful trip that any rural school teacher in the world ever had."

Time.

Do not waste time—for that is the stuff life is made of.—Franklin.

God never imposes a duty without giving time to do it.—Ruskin.

Stay not until you are told of opportunities to do good. Inquire after them as a man.—Webster.

Idleness is costly without being a luxury. It is hard work for those who are not used to it and dull work for those who are.—Horace Smith.

Smartly Said.

The girl who endeavors to get a husband who is "different" usually picks a lemon.

It is useless for a wife to attempt to be economical unless she can handle the pay envelope.

When some men grant a favor that costs them nothing they seem to think that they should own you.

The early bug would have a better time but for the fact that the bird is always on the lookout for him.

How about the boy and girl this year? Have you planned any way for them to earn a bit of money for themselves as they? If not, you had better put your planner to work.—Southern Agriculturist.

Another Chance for the Landless Man.

A Texas banker has outlined a plan by which the man with no land can buy a farm by the aid of the new farm loan act. It is simply that land-owners who wish to sell accept the money that can be borrowed on the land as their first payment and allow the purchaser to give a series of long-time, second mortgage notes for the balance of the purchase money. He is urging country bankers to join in a campaign to induce land-owners to sell on these terms.

The thing can be done. Doubtless it will be done in many cases. But it can be done only when the seller of the land can afford to wait a long time for part of his money, and when the purchaser has the sort of reputation that can be added to the second mortgage as an asset.

The new law should be of some service in enabling the man without land to get a home and possibly in helping to bring about a better distribution of the big bodies of land held by men lacking the capital to work them or simply holding on for a possible advance in prices. But it will not solve either the tenant problem or the problem of injurious speculation in land. Only a shifting of taxes from the improvements put on land to the site or social value of the land itself can do that.—Southern Agriculturist.

A Few Don'ts.

Granville Kleiser, in his "Talks on Talking," declares that our annual waste of words is appalling. "It is talking age," he says—therefore these "don'ts" for talkers:

- Don't argue
- Don't boast
- Don't gossip
- Don't mumble
- Don't grumble
- Don't prattle
- Don't wrangle
- Don't flatter
- Don't digress
- Don't interrupt
- Don't contradict
- Don't imitate
- Don't hesitate
- Don't expatiate
- Don't insinuate
- Don't vacillate
- Don't fulminate
- Don't vociferate
- Don't exaggerate
- Don't prevaricate
- Don't gesticulate
- Don't expostulate
- Don't catechize
- Don't dogmatize
- Don't tyrannize
- Don't patronize
- Don't antagonize
- Don't irritate.

Safety First.

Just so you will not forget it, we say it one time more: You will be missing much of the pleasure and much of the profit of farming this year if you do not raise most of your living at home. Milk and butter, chickens and eggs, lard and bacon, fruit and vegetables—these things are an essential part of the best farming.

Begin right now to plan for—and when the weather admits to prepare for—a good garden. There's no use living on the farm, anyway, if one cannot

have an abundance of fresh vegetables to eat. As for fruit, if you have no trees or vines or bushes growing now, you can't get fruit this year. You still have plenty of time to set out some of these things, however, and be prepared for better living another year.

When it comes to bread and meat and feed for the live stock, the one safe plan is to raise just as much as possible of it at home.

This suggestion, applicable to farmers everywhere, is especially commended to readers who may be tempted to plant a big cotton crop this year and let other things go.

To provide a living at home is safety whatever the weather or the war may be or do; to risk getting a living from high-priced cotton is a gamble any year and doubly, a gamble this year.—Southern Agriculturist.

Illiteracy Commission.

The Arkansas Legislature has just passed a law creating an Illiteracy Commission. This was done upon the recommendation of the new Governor, C. H. Brough, who was a prominent educator in the State before he became Governor. He asked for an Illiteracy Commission with the State during the four years of his administration. The idea, and the plan of an Illiteracy Commission is one taken from Kentucky. Kentucky has many Commissions, but she only has one that she originated, and gave to the other States for a model—her Illiteracy Commission. It is a source of pride to see how rapidly other States are following her.

Care of the Hair.

Use an egg in washing the hair. Break the egg into a basin. Beat the egg until white and yellow are well mixed; then with the fingers rub the egg into the roots of the hair. Rubbing it well into the scalp is most beneficial, and at least a half hour should be used in this gentle rubbing, then wash the hair with good white soap and warm water until all the egg is removed. Rinse in several warm waters, and lastly in cold. Instead of using soap one may use one part of aqua ammonia to ten parts of water.

Don't Let Your Cough Hang On.

A cough that racks and weakens is dangerous. It undermines your health and thrives on neglect. Relieve it at once with Dr. King's New Discovery. This soothing balsam remedy heals the throat, loosens the phlegm, its antiseptic properties kill the germ and the cold is quickly broken up. Children and grown-ups alike find Dr. King's New Discovery pleasant to take as well as effective. Have a bottle handy in your medicine chest for grippe, croup and all bronchial affections. At Paul Drug Co., 60c.

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Solomon's Temple.

The temple of Jerusalem was built by King Solomon B. C. 1000 and was destroyed by King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon B. C. 586. It was rebuilt by Zerubabel B. C. 634 and partially destroyed by the Roman General Pompey in B. C. 63. It was rebuilt by King Herod B. C. 21 and was finally demolished by the Romans under Titus A. D. 70.

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DESCRIPTION:—Red Bird, Jr., is a dark bay, full 16 hands high, weight 1,150 pounds and carries himself in the most attractive manner. He was handled during the season of 1907, by Coffey Bros., of Columbia; for 30 days, and at the Burkesville and Columbia Fairs won everything in his class. At the Columbia Fair he also won the Sweepstake Saddle Premium for Stallions, Mares and Geldings, one of the best shows ever made in Southern Kentucky. He has proved himself a superb breeder, imparting size, style and fine action to his colts—the essentials that go to make a valuable and attractive horse.

PEDIGREE:—Red Bird, Jr., is by Old Red Bird, he by Joe Brown, he by Cabell's Lexington. His first dam by Sallie Wilkes. Lyle Wilkes 4658, by George Wilkes 519, 1st dam Lou Coons, by American Clay 34, sire of Granville 2:26, Maggie Briggs 2:27, the dams of Nutmeg 2:16, Hermit 2:16 1 2 St. Valentine 2:17, etc.; 2d dam Nokomis, by Mambrino Chief 11, sire of dams of Piedmont 2:17 1-4, etc.; 3rd dam Mrs. Claude, dam of Eriossom 2:30 1-4 sire of dam of Moquet (4) 2:10, etc. Bourbon Chief 383, by Mambrino Chief 11 1st dam Puss, by Grey Eagle.

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Both Wrote "Pied Piper."

Robert Browning, father of the poet, was a man of many parts, from whom his famous son would seem to have inherited now a few of his characteristics, says the London Chronicle. A clever artist, with a turn for the grotesque, and a versifier with a taste for eccentric rhymes, he might but for his brilliant son, be remembered today as the author of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin," for it was he who told Robert that story, and some years before the poet produced his version, turned it into lively verse for the entertainment of a sick child—little Willie Macready, son of the famous actor. The poet does not seem to have known of his father's version until after he had produced his own.

Sign of Good Digestion.

When you see a cheerful and happy old lady you may know that she has good digestion. If your digestion is impaired or if you do not relish your meals take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach, improve the digestion and cause a gentle movement of the bowels. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co.

Adv

It takes ideal care and arrangements to get as many eggs in winter as in summer, but the man who does not get any eggs in winter is guilty of mistreating his hens some way or other. —Southern Agriculturist.

Gift made by the Rockefeller Foundation last year were \$2,249,068.

MORGAN RAIDER TELLS A STORY**Capt. Lucas, Frankfort, Feels as Fit as in Old Days.****MORGAN'S 'OLD HORSE THIEF'**

Morgan's Raiders, loved and honored by every man and woman in the South, and feared throughout the North in the days of '61, are still remembered by their daring raids into the very heart of the North. These fearless men led by John Morgan stopped at nothing, and time after time they slipped past the Union lines and back again bringing with them thousands of dollars worth of plunder. These men, often riding day and night for weeks at a time, sparing nothing to aid the cause of Dixie,

**CAPT. MASON B. LUCAS.**

earned for themselves the famous name of "Morgan's Raiders." They gave the flower of their youth and strength to the cause dear to the South, and those of them that are left are still remembered and loved in the South and honored in the North.

Captain Lucas Popular.

Among these is Captain Mason B. Lucas, who is known throughout Franklin County as "Uncle Mac." He is now finishing his second term as County Jailor, and there is no more widely known or popular citizen in all Frankfort or Franklin County.

During the war, he was Morgan's right-hand man, and his friends love to call him "Morgan's Old Horse Thief" as he was always given command of foraging parties when they had got past the Union lines and were in Northern territory.

"Uncle Mac" is now 73 years old and not long ago he felt that he was getting into the class of old men. But he feels fine again now and says he believes he can straddle his horse from the ground and make as hard a ride as he could in the days of '61.

In telling the story of how he got back his health, he said: "Some time ago, my stomach went back on me, and I felt heavy and lousy after eating. I got so I couldn't sleep well at night and began to get a little nervous. My appetite wasn't what it used to be either. I didn't seem to ever get hungry. I got worried and decided to try Tanlac.

Sleeps Like a Baby.

"Well sir, after taking two bottles of Tanlac, my appetite is splendid. I sleep like a baby, and feel stronger than I have for years. In fact I feel so good that I don't believe anyone can outdistance me for the re-nomination in the coming Democratic primary.

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Think Success.

If you think that you are beaten You'd just as well to quit the race. For though you do your very best You will never reach the base. It is not the swiftest runner, Nor is it the strongest man, But the one who always wins the race Is the man who thinks he can.

And so in all of life's battles Success depends upon your will; There's no goal for merely wishing But for climbing up the hill. And in all the great successes It is not the wisest man Who always comes out in the lead, But the man who thinks he can.

The Catholic population of Louisville according to a Catholic directory, is 113,000.

Seventy-five Cents a Ton for Protecting the Manure.

The Ohio Experiment Station has found from experiments covering nineteen years that manure kept under shelter or hauled directly to the field is worth 75 cents a ton more than when exposed to the weather in an open yard for three months. Yet some farmers still pitch it outdoors with never a thought of that 75 cents. —Southern Agriculturist.

An Experienced Pair.

During President Lincoln's first visit to the Springfield penitentiary an old inmate, looking out through the bars, remarked: "Well, Mr. Lincoln, you and I ought to be well posted on prisons. We've seen all there are in the country."

"Why, this is the first I ever visited," replied the Chief Executive, somewhat astonished.

"Yes," was the reply, "but I've been in all the rest." —Chicago News.

When to Take Chamberlains Tablets.

When you feel dull and stupid after eating.

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When you have indigestion.

When nervous or despondent.

When you have no relish for your meals.

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Rights of Man.

The sacred rights of mankind are not to be rummaged for among old parchments or musty records. They are written, as with a sunbeam, in the whole volume of human nature by the hand of divinity itself and can never be erased or obscured by mortal power. —Alexander Hamilton.

How to Prevent Croup.

When the child is subject to attacks of croup, see to it that he eats a light evening meal, as an overloaded stomach may bring on an attack, also watch for the first symptom—hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co. Adv.

In another month the black bass will be running and a lot of fellows running after them, but it does not look like we will be one of the crowd.

New York congratulates Missouri that Stone was born in Kentucky. However, Kentucky congratulates herself that he moved to Missouri.

Governor Cox, of Ohio, talks right when he declares if necessary he will declare martial law in Ohio and run trains.

Salt was once used for money in paying the soldiers. It was called "salerium," hence the word salary.

A barge built for harvesting kelp on the Pacific coast gathers up about 500 tons of seaweed on a trip.

If mankind had not been endowed with curiosity there would never have been much progress. —Southern Agriculturist.

Amsterdam reports the organizing of a co-operative society of Dutch iron works.

German submarine commanders have been notified by Berlin not to attack relief ships of the Commission of the Relief of Belgium.

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Of 100 acres of the best land in Adair county. Good dwelling, 2 good barns and outbuildings, 1 mile from Cane Valley. Price \$6,500.

FARM

Of 304 acres, 9 miles from Columbia, on Green river, 1 mile from pike now under construction. 52 acres river bottom. Good dwelling, barn and outbuildings, 2 good orchards. Price \$5,000.

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Nine room two story dwelling and lot, situated on one of the best residence streets in Columbia, near the square, barn and out buildings. A very desirable home. A bargain. Price on application.

115 Acres of good land in a good neighborhood, good buildings on public road, about 8 miles south of Columbia. Price \$1,600. (Bargain)

House and Lot: House with six rooms, good out buildings, good water and other conveniences, just out of town limits. Price \$850.

House with 9 rooms just out of town two shops, all buildings good, comparatively new. Price \$1,900.

40 Acres of land unimproved (cheap residence) lying 3 1/2 miles N. W. of Columbia. Price \$600.00.

\$300 for house and lot near the public square, good garden, good well, barn &c. Desirable place and is worth the money asked.

\$1,500 for 5 1/2 acres of land lying 2 miles S. W. of the town of Columbia, near the Glasgow road, new 5 room box house, good barn, good well in yard 25 acres in meadow, 25 acres in cultivation, balance in timber. 1/2 cash the balance on time to suit purchaser.

7 acres of good limestone land. Three room residence, two barns, two good springs, one well, one of the best locations in Gradyville. Away from the creek. Price right

Farm of 121 acres, 5 miles south of Columbia. 45 acres bottom, good buildings, splendid orchard, well watered. All in high state of cultivation. Price \$4,000.

75 acres of land in sight of Columbia, Ky., good land, 8 acres bottom, 15 acres timber, fenced. \$50 per acre.

FARM IN TAYLOR COUNTY—Consisting of 200 acres, 100 acres in woodland, 90 acres in grass, 10 acres in cultivation, dwelling and barn. Situated 4 1/2 miles south of Campbellsville, on Robinson creek. Price \$3,000.

124 acre farm, 2 1/2 miles S. W. of Dunnville, in Adair, Casey, and Russell counties, reasonable good buildings, good orchard, good spring, well water, 70 acres cultivation, 6 acres in meadow, 20 acres corn, average 8 bbls. acre, limestone land, \$600 to \$800 worth of timber. Price \$2,800.

175 acres timber land, near Webb's X Roads, Russell County, on Dixie Highway. Estimated to have 75,000 ft. saw timber. Price \$1,200.

33 acres 1 1/2 miles from Columbia. 7 acres first-class bottom, balance fresh land. Four room box house, well watered. Price \$330.

Three houses, 7, 6, and 5 rooms, 1 acre lots, good wells, in the town of Columbia, west of Graded School. Price \$1,200 each.

House and lot on Fair Ground Street with six rooms, good well and outbuildings, all new, house wired for lights. Price \$1,150.

652 acres timber land near Taylor county line, 3 miles west of Knifley, 2 1/2 miles from pike from Knifley to Campbellsville. Price \$650.

If you want to buy or sell it will pay you to do business with us, we are selling some and pleasing buyer and seller. We also (for private reasons) have other valuable property that we have not advertised but will sell.

Desirable dwelling house and eleven and ninety one-hundredths acres of land in the town of Columbia, good outbuildings and a small tenant house, good orchard and well watered, \$3,000.

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Just use an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

This applies equally well to nearly all baked foods. Try the following recipe according to the new way:

CREAM LAYER CAKE**Old Way**

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup milk
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
3 eggs
1/2 cup shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring

New Way

1 cup sugar
1 cup milk
2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 egg
2 tablespoons shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then mix in the egg. After sifting the flour and Royal Baking Powder together two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tins and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing.

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